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Please amend the Abstract:

ABSTRACT

A protective covering for a traveling bag comprising a housing having a cavity dimensioned to encompass the covered traveling bag. The housing has substantially an equivalent shape to the covered traveling bag. The housing further comprises can have a polygonal shape further defined by an upper section, lower section, front section, back section, a first side section and opposite second side section. Each section can be a panel with a polygonal shape. A slot disposed within the upper panel such that it is aligned over the handle of the covered traveling bag and is dimensioned to hold the handle of the covered bag in a telescoped position. The lower section panel further comprises at least one opening in the dimensioned to accommodate the bottom of the covered traveling bag wherein the wheel and/or stand extend